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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: DAVID LEE EASTBURN

Art Unit: 2634

Serial No.: 10/814,411

Examiner: Linda Wong

Filed: March 30, 2004

Title: FREQUENCY HOPPING SPREAD
SPECTRUM SCHEME FOR RFID READER

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action dated May 18, 2005, or until September 19, 2005 (the first business day following September 18, 2005).

Our check in the amount of \$1,320 is enclosed for the later presentation of six independent claim(s) in excess of three (\$1,200) and for a one-month extension fee (\$120) in accordance with Rule 1.17(a)(1).

The Commissioner of Patents is authorized to charge any amount due, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0639. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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